Colored Dots . . .

NEGRO 4-H CLUB ACHIEVEMENT DAY

The 4-H Club and its leaders owe a deep debt of gratitude to Supr. J. A. Burke, superintendent of schools for his interest in the 4-H Club work for Appomattox County. Achievement Day was made possible only by the fact that Mr. Burke permitted a county-wide 4H holiday so that all the clubs in each of the community schools might be present for the program at Carver High School.

This year Achievement day was held on a much larger scale than the last two years. All 4-H projects carried were on display. The projects included: livestock, fat pig, breeding pig, poultry, calves, dairy and beef type, garden and crop exhibits of canned and raw products, and sewing. Also tobacco.

The program started at regular school time (9:00) to (2:30). Entries were made and judges with special emphasis given dairy calves. This was planned as an educational feature for 4-H members. Mr. Ross W. Newsome, state agent of education work for Va.; Mr. J. A. Burke, superintendent of schools; Mr. J. E. Settle, dairy husbandryman, Va. State College, who also judged the livestock exhibits. Interesting remarks were given by Mr. C. A. Pennington, principal of Carver High. A very encouraging report was given by Willie Marshall on his accomplishment as a 4-H club member. He reported that this year he saved $600.00 from his project of 1 acre of tobacco. This young man also placed fourth in the colonial stores war bond contest as an outstanding 4 - H member.

Judges present were Mrs. Mozella Price, supervisor of schools, Mr. S. E. Marshall, district agent for Va. Extension Service; Mr. G. J. Lancaster, Farm Agent from Prince Edward County; Mr. W. M. Pierce, Halifax Co.; Mr. Charles Elliott, Campbell Co., Mr. Moody, of Buckingham.

Mrs. Ella S. Anderson, Home Demonstration agent, judged the garden and sewing exhibits. Mr. R. Q. Lawing, vocational agriculture instructor, gave the cooperation of his department in helping the program to be a success. The award presentations were made by Mr. Ross Newsome and Mr. J. E. Settle.

The prizes consisted of a purebred holstein bull, a holstein heifer, two purebred berkshire pigs, twenty-five baby chicks, 7 flashlights, a metal tool box and placement ribbons. The danish system was used so that each exhibitor received something for his efforts. The purebred livestock prizes were gotten from Va. State College at a minimum price, which amounted to $50.00. $43.00 was solicited from local stores and businesses, the balance of the expenses were made up from contributions from the several community clubs in the county. A complete report of the costs supporting achievement day will be made at the fall meeting of the advisory board.

The outstanding 4-H club members and first place winners are as follows:

Nora Watkins, grand champion calf, winner of the purebred holstein bull calf.

Steven Russell, reserve champion calf, winner of holstein heifer.

Rodginal Abbott, fat pig, winner of purebred pig.

Kathlee Ferguson, poultry winner, barred rock, winner of 25 baby chicks.

Willie Marshall, hybrid corn, flashlight.

Willie Marshall, tobacco, first place and best exhibit.

Rosa Williams, best all round garden exhibits, winner of sweep stakes and all metal tool box.

The other placement winners were given ribbons and flashlights as their awards.

The following stores and business made the financial contributions that made possible the awarding of the purebred livestock prizes: Mr. E. D. Tegethoff, Moses Motor Company, Mr. C.S. Jenkins, Dr. H. Y. Spencer, Hudgins Furniture Co., Mr. H. C Pulliam, Mr. J. T. Ivey, Bank of Appomattox, Farmers National Bank, Appomattox Hardware Co., Poe Hardware, Haley Store, Inge's Store, Judge J. W. Flood.

Farm Agent G. L. James wishes to extend personally many thanks to all those who aided in any way to our 4-H program. Not only was the day a success but the purpose and the meaning of 4-H Achievement day has now been indelibly imprinted on the minds of our boys and girls and their parents. This fact alone was worth the extended efforts of all.

COLORED DOTS

An unusually large crowd attended the regular preaching services of the First Baptist Church last Sunday. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. N. R. Jordon, R. Q. Lawing delivered a very helpful and inspiring message. The church choir rendered special music. Prayers were offered by brother Isaac Patterson and deacon Henry Nowlin. The offering was very good.

Impressive funeral services were held at the Promise Land Baptist Church last Thursday at 3 P. M. over the remains of Mrs. Rosa Annie Pannell, highly respected citizen, neighbor and church worker, who died at her home near the church last Monday evening.

Jap workers ask more food.

Truman asks Congress to pass legislation for peacetime universal military training.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

"We have only just begun to fight"

We were sitting around Bill Webster's fire the other night, enjoying a mellow glass of beer, and talking—now that the war is over—about what Peace really means.

"I can tell you one thing it doesn't mean," says Bill. "It doesn't mean that we can all relax—and take things easy—and figure we're living in Utopia."

"You're right," Judge Cunningham agrees. "Peace means, among other things, eternal vigilance. Free men are still at war with hatred, prejudice, intolerance—whether it's intolerance of a man's political beliefs, or of his right to choose between a glass of beer or buttermilk."

From where I sit, the Judge is absolutely right. Peace means continued vigilance—continued struggle against all the forces of intolerance that caused the last war, and can sow the seeds of future conflict. Maybe we should paraphrase the slogan of a Revolutionary hero: "We have only just begun to fight."

Joe Marsh

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HEALTH HINTS for LIVESTOCK

PREPARED BY AMERICAN FOUNDATION FOR ANIMAL HEALTH

MASTITIS TAKES 25% MILK OUTPUT TOLL

It is estimated that mastitis or udder garget is costing dairy farmers $100,000,000 yearly and in some areas nearly 25% of dairy herds are affected by it.

A common cause of mastitis is a chain-like germ (Streptococcus agalactiae) which may lie hidden in the udders of cows for months, or even years. Then, suddenly, it multiplies rapidly and produces irreparable damage to the delicate lining membranes of the cow's udder.

The disease may be either acute, with high fever and subsequent death, or a chronic, slow-going tissue change that ruins the cow's usefulness. Not all mastitis is caused by this particular "strep" germ. Sometimes serious outbreaks are due to "staph-type" germs the variety responsible for boils and abscess.

Fortunately veterinarians have developed scientific methods for pointing out the cows which harbor the offending germs, [illegible] introduced into the udder vault by a special injection method. Precautionary measures [illegible] disposal of untreatable cows [illegible] herd.

Advanced mastitis.

[illegible] last, sterilization of milking machines and cups, so-called air-cup testing, and cow stable hygiene.

Combatting mastitis will pay the farmer real dividends, here in Georgia five herds produce as much as [illegible] with [illegible] cows.

Test Field Yields Odd Nazi Gadgets

Like Inventor's Nightmare Are Weird New Weapons.

A GERMAN ARMY ORDNANCE PROVING GROUNDS, HILLERSLEBEN, GERMANY — This German army testing ground for new weapons is an inventor's nightmare, containing everything from a mammoth armored wiener-spit to a bayonet - corkscrew - bottle-opener combination gadget that looks like the Nazi version of what no kitchen should be without.

It will take months of work by American and British ordnance men to make head or tail of the great mass of equipment and gadgets they found here.

First, there is the great what-is-it. Nobody has yet figured out what it is or what it may have been intended to be, but it is certainly the largest land-going contraption likely to appear in this war. It has four wheels, each 9 feet tall and equipped with wooden pads. It weighs about 100 tons and is heavily armored.

The machine has places for two drivers, in an armored compartment 12 feet above the ground. Then there is a new anti-tank gun with a barrel at least 30 feet long and a before firing a shell of at least 120 millimeter size. There are hundreds of other guns, most of them anti-tank weapons, and it is apparent the Germans were concentrating on high-velocity guns in their experiments. Some guns have been sabotaged, but most are intact.

The huge depot covers hundreds of acres, housing thousands of types of guns, shells and sights.

Millions of dollars worth of precision equipment and materials was captured intact and only experienced scientists will be able to sort out the devices. The Germans made decided efforts to smash their optical experiments, which seemed to indicate they thought they had something the Allies do not possess.

German Schools Opened; Teachers Take New Oath

WITH BRITISH FORCES IN GERMANY — Schools for children between 6 and 10 rapidly are being reopened in the British occupation zone in Germany.

The German teachers employed must take the following oath:

"I will not teach anything which glorifies militarism; which seeks to propagate, revive or justify the doctrines of National Socialism or exalt the achievements of Nazi leaders; which favors a policy of discrimination on the grounds of race and religion; which is hostile or seeks to disturb the relations between any of the United Nations; which expounds the practice of war or the mobilization or preparation for war whether in the scientific, economic or industrial fields, or which promotes the study of military geography."

Authorities in Cologne said 158 teachers had been put provisionally on the approved list.

AMG Lays Down Rules For Berlin Trade Unions

LONDON. — The American military government in Germany has laid down conditions under which trade unions may be established in the G.I. zone of occupation, the Luxemburg radio said. Employers are forbidden to influence the election of shop committees and union officials, Nazis cannot be candidates, and applications for formation of shop committees may be submitted by anyone provided he is supported by 25 per cent of a plant's workers.

A Single Peach Now Costs $1.70 in London

LONDON.—Londoners are paying $1.30 to $1.70 for a single peach—in the midst of an English peach harvest—the Daily Express said.

Britain imports most of her peaches, and war virtually has halted such imports, creating a boom market for the home-grown variety. The few available are displayed carefully nested in cotton wool to protect the skins.

Half of Foreign Bonds Are Still in Default

NEW YORK. — Nearly half of the foreign dollar bonds outstanding at the end of 1944 were in default, Foreign Bondholders Protective council, inc., said recently.

In a report for the years 1941 through 1944 covering publicly offered dollar bonds issued and guaranteed by foreign governments and their political sub-divisions, the council said that such issues were outstanding in the amount of around $4,700,000 as of December 31, 1944.

Imports of Pepper Fell to Zero in '44

WASHINGTON. — The census bureau explained why pepper has been hard to find in grocery stores—none was imported during 1944.

Because areas held by Japan were the principal sources of supply, unground pepper imports fell from 73,957,710 pounds in 1941 [illegible] in 1942.

WITH A HEAVE-HO

When Dan Poling, the Philadelphia preacher, was sent on a whirlwind trip around the Pacific war theater to report on the army chaplains, he found himself unexpectedly called upon to conduct services on several warships. He had not previously enjoyed much contact with the navy. He was puzzled, but reluctant to inquire the meaning of a motto which was inscribed on a metal tag attached to every one of the wooden pulpits installed on the decks of warships. The motto said: "Overboard in action."

At first he thought it might be some kind of a traditional navy phrase, indicating that a preacher should go all-out in his preaching. But that didn't seem to quite make sense, so at last he inscribed up enough nerve to ask about it. He soon found out that the tag was an instruction to the crew for any time when the ship went into action and got into serious straits. The wooden reading desk, a fire hazard, was to be tossed to the waves.

NO FUTURE

Uncle—You've grown a lot since I saw you last.

Nephew—Yes.

Uncle—If you keep it up, you'll soon be just like your father.

Nephew—That's what mother says she's afraid of.

School Daze

Teacher—What is the plural of hippopotamus?

Smarty—The plural of hippopotamus is hip-pop-p- . . . Who wants more than one hippopotamus anyway?

Sad Sack

Joe—Are you happy now that you're in the army?

Bill—Yes.

Joe—And were you in civilian life?

Bill—Happier still.

Animal Fun

Returned Soldier—And there at the end of the road was a barricade. . . .

Small Boy—Were there any bears in it?

Some Cut-Up

Patient—What's your favorite sport?

Doctor—Sleighing.

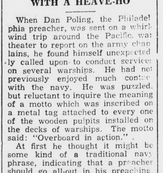
Patient—You misunderstand me. I mean aside from your business.

Service Plus

Diner—This steak isn't very tender.

Waitress—Sorry, sir, but the only affectionate things in this restaurant is us waitresses.

ROUGH RIDER



Stableman—now, isn't that a fine horse for getting you over the jumps?

New Rider—Yes, but I'd like it a lot better if he'd come with me.

Slow Fail

Joe—Don't come down that ladder. I've taken it away.

Bill—It's too late. I'm already half way down.

Dumb Dora

She—I'll have you know I'm a high-minded girl.

He—Yeah, if anyone says "Hi," you don't mind it.

Not in the Contract

She—Will you love me if I grow fat?

He—No. I promised for better or worse, not through thick and thin.

In the Rough

Joe—My grandfather went around the golf course in 79.

Bill—So what. My grandfather went all the way to California in '49.

Pretty Pointless

Mack—What puzzles me is why there is a plant like a cactus.

Jack—Yes, that is a sticker.

Over-Valued

Jane—I feel like thirty cents.

Joan—Well, everything is over priced nowadays.

Quick Work

Her—What would you say if I said I didn't believe in [illegible]

Him—Good-by.

• MISS AMERICA, 1945

BESS MYERSON, 21, [illegible] of Hunter College, New York City, is the new Miss America, 1945, having been selected at the annual contest in Atlantic City this month. The new Miss America represented New York City in a competition that drew representatives from 48 states (Canada and Hawaii [illegible] throughout the country. She is 5 feet 10 inches, weighs 132 pounds, has 35½ inch bust, 25½ hips, 33 inch waist, 20 calf, 14½ ankle, 8½ upper arm, 9½ wrist, 5½ dress size 14. Bathing suit size 36. She has received a $5,000 scholarship and will continue her music studies. She is an accomplished pianist and flutist.

• Yen for Marines on Okinawa •

First payday for troops on Okinawa was for [illegible] of the Second Marine Air Wing. They were paid, for the first time in the left, Technical Sgt. Carl Michaelsen, Jr., of Astoria, Long Island, N. Y., watches the sen and yen being counted out by Vincent Second Wing's enlisted pay accounts. In the "receiving line" [illegible] to right, are Sgt. Walter B. Wrede of Philadelphia, Pa., Corp. Daniel J. [illegible] of Allentown, Pa., and Pfc. William K. Olson of Cleveland, Ohio.

(U. S. Marine Corps Photo)

"SORRY, DEAR, BUT I'LL BE A LITTLE LATE. I HAVE TO STOP AT THE BUTCHER WITH MY USED FAT. IT'S WORTH FOUR RED POINTS A POUND NOW!"

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[illegible]wall, Oct. 15.- Miss Mary [illegible] of Floyd, Va., spent the week end with Mrs. S. E. Anderson.

[illegible]. W. H. Drinkard has returned to her home here after visiting [illegible]burg and Bedford.

[illegible] Stonewall home demonstration club met last Thursday in the home of Mrs. J. P. Alvis, with a good attendance.

[illegible]s. and Mrs. Wallace Bondurant and children and Mrs. Anna [illegible] were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stratton last Sunday.

[illegible]s. and Mrs. Irby Wheeler and family spent Sunday afternoon in [illegible]sville.

[illegible]s Lee Carter and Frances [illegible] of Lynchburg, Teachers [illegible] Farmville spent the week-end at their homes here.

[illegible]s. and Mrs. C. L. Carson had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Davis Smith, of Spout [illegible], Miss Jean Howerton, of [illegible]burg; Mr. and Mrs. Tommie [illegible]son and children, Jessie Davis and Miss Elizabeth Lee Carson, to celebrate Mrs. Carson's sister Edna's birthday.

[illegible]s. and Mrs. C. M. Caldwell and their dinner guests Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Dickerson and Miss Anna Carson.

[illegible]s. Wheeler has notified his [illegible]s. Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Wheeler that he is in the Philippines.

[illegible]t. J. H. Beard had some of her friends present Sunday to celebrate her birthday. Mrs. Hert[illegible] and Neta Beard, of [illegible]g; Mr. and Mrs. Henry [illegible] and son, Lawrence, of Appomattox; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis [illegible] and daughters; Mrs. Robert Beard, of Gladys; and Herman [illegible] who has just returned from [illegible]ssau; and George Beard.

[illegible]s. Fannie Le Grande, of [illegible]burg is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Bessie Strat[illegible]

[illegible]apt. Harding, of Lynchburg, [illegible] the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Harding. [illegible]Harding is somewhat better at this writing.

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BUCKINGHAM LYNCHBURG, VIRGINIA

Mrs. J. R. Horsley has gone to spend the winter at Emporia with her neice, Mrs. C. I. Rosch and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnetts and son, Joe, Jr., of Lynchburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Tinen Lee and Mrs. Anna Lee last week.

ANXIOUS TO PLEASE

A famous evangelist of fifty years ago was a gentleman farmer in his leisure moments. Between engagements as a revivalist, he would spend a week or two on his farm at Northfield, Mass., housing the hired help and discussing crops with the neighboring farmers, who were always trying to unload their decrepit stock at fancy prices.

On one occasion he spent a whole afternoon bargaining for a cow. The owner was so vague about the animal's antecedents and characteristics that the evangelist finally got impatient.

"Come now," he roared, striking the side of the barn a mighty blow with his fist, "how much milk does she give?"

His New England neighbor was not daunted by oratory. After a long pause, he said, reflectively: "Wal, I don't know as I can answer that question precisely. I ain't never [illegible] what Deborah Jane gives, to be truthful. But she's a mighty good-natured cow, and she'll give all she can!"

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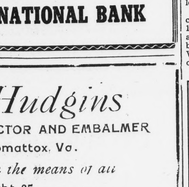

May—You mean to say she got fired for not watching her step?

Kay—Sure. She dances in a chorus.

Bad Apple

Sarge—Did you hear about that mean old general?

Louie—No, what's wrong with him?

Sarge—He was rotten to the corps.

Black Widow, Too

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Sloppy Joe's

Waitress—How did you know we had a new dish washer?

Diner—The fingerprints on the dishes are different.

Save the Surface

Jane—You can't cheat Father Time.

Joan—No, but some women drive an awful close bargain with him.

Vacation Time

Visitor — Not many mosquitoes here, are there?

Native—No, but the hotels all sting you.

Fresh From the Can

Small Boy—I'd like some beans.

Grocer—What brand, son?

Small Boy—Brand new.

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Italian Close to Atom Secret in '35

Glad He Failed as Germans Would Have Got It.

SPOKANE, WASH. — Dr. Enrico Fermi, an Italian scientist who participated in developing the atomic bomb in the United States, almost discovered its secret 10 years ago which probably would have made it available to the Nazis. This was disclosed recently by Col. Franklin T. Matthias, director of the Richland, Wash., atomic bomb plant.

"Dr. Fermi was so close to discovering the secret of plutonium back in 1935," Colonel Matthias related, "that he probably would have published his knowledge to the world had it not been for a little [illegible] Zeachers [illegible] was [illegible] the evangelist finally got impatient.

"He told me that he was very glad his experiments then had failed, for there is no doubt the Nazis would have loosed the terror of the atomic bomb on the world if the Fascists in Italy had possessed the knowledge and used it on us to them.

"Germany had all the basic knowledge long before we started, but lacked the facilities and knowhow for putting the facts together. In the United States, 2,000 top flight scientists worked anonymously to bring scattered bits of knowledge into effective military use."

Plutonium produced at Richland was put into bombs which were assembled in New Mexico just before they were sent overseas, Colonel Matthias explained.

He said the United States had more atomic bombs ready to drop on Japan when the war ended and that production of the new superweapon has continued since Japan surrendered.

Tiny Indian Ocean Atoll Fuels East-Bound Ships

LONDON. — A secret naval base on a tiny Indian ocean atoll, the admiralty discloses, guarded Britain's lifeline to India since a few weeks after Japan's entry into the war.

Construction on the Addu island anchorage, south of India and 500 miles west of Ceylon, was quietly started by royal marines in September, 1941, and the first convoy to refuel from there months later [illegible] fired for not watching her step?

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Concord

Concord, Oct. 13.- Cpl. Bobbie King, of Florida is at home on a furlough.

The following officers have been elected by the P.-T. A.: President, Hunter P. Evans; vice president, John Owen; second vice president, Clark S. Morgan; secretary, Mrs. Allen Wood; treasurer, Mrs. R. W. Davis.

Miss Irene Martin, of Madison College spent the week-end at her home here.

Pierre Laval dies before firing squad.

BASSO PROFUNDO

Jimmy—Uncle, will you sing for us?

Uncle—Why do you want me to sing?

Jimmy—Tommy and I are playing sailor and we need a foghorn.

Stew Bad

Cook—Isn't it sad that poor little lamb had to be sacrificed just to feed us?

Diner—Yeah, it's tough!

Service!

Diner—Everything comes to him who waits, I suppose.

Waitress—Yeah. But the guy who won't wait gets his check.

Gabble Babble

Jones—My wife talks to herself.

Smith—So does mine. But she doesn't know it. She thinks I'm listening.

Skip It

Mack—Did you ever hear the story about the peacock?

Jack—No.

Mack—It's a beautiful tale.

Slight Lisp

Nit—What's a twip?

Wit—I'd say a twip was a wide on a twain.

School Fun

Jimmy—I can't seem to get this electricity through my head.

Johnny—Too much resistance.

Up to Date

Circus Boss—Who broke the trapeze?

Clown—I did it with my little acts.

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Vera

Vera, Oct. 16.- Mrs. R. L. Harris and sons, Flood and Pete, were dinner guests of Mr. an dMrs. J. J. Chernault Sunday.

Sgt. Russell A. Chernault, of Washington, D. C., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Chernault.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robertano, of Washington, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Robertson.

Pfc. James Beale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Beale, is expected home this week, after serving over seas.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Garrett, Jr., and son, Be'l, and Miss Irene Garrett, of Bedford, spent the week-end here.

Virginia Carver and Bobby Chernault spent last Monday night with Mrs. Ed Blackwell.

Several new buildings are going up in Appomattox.

State Methodist Conference is in session in Richmond.

State political campaign picking up in interest.

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Commission Uses Gavel Made From Historic Log

CHARLESTON, W. VA.—Meetings of the West Virginia conservation commission are called to order with a gavel made from one of the original logs in historic Fort Ashby, in Mineral county.

The gavel was a gift from the Potomac Valley chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, of Keyser, W. Va. It was made from a piece cut from a 48-foot white oak log in the old fort.

Fort Ashby was built in 1755 in a community which was settled in 1735. It is the only standing unit in a chain of fortifications constructed by George Washington along the Virginia frontier for the protection of early settlers from the Indians.

French Arrest Spies Who Assist Germans

PARIS. — Police officials and the ministry of the interior said that spies and would-be terrorists are operating in France on behalf of escaped Nazis. They work under orders of various groups alleged to have established headquarters in Spain. More than 10,000 agents have been arrested.

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